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SIX DOLLARS PER QUARTER

Banks.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.
AUTHORISED CAPITAL £2,000,000.
PAID-UP CAPITAL £500,000.

LONDON:
Head Office, 40, Threadneedle Street.
West End Office, 25, Cockspur Street.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives MONEY ON DEPOSIT, Buys and Sells BILLS OF EXCHANGE, ISSUES LETTERS OF CREDIT, forwards Bills for COLLECTION, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to be had on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS:
Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.
" 6 " 4 " "
" 3 " 3 " "
ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
PAID-UP CAPITAL £2,168,062 50
RESERVE FUND £482,127 00
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS £1,168,062 50

COURT OF DIRECTORS:
CHAIRMAN—H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.
DEPUTY CHAIRMAN—J. S. MOSES, Esq.
T. E. DAVIES, Esq. A. MCCONACHIE, Esq.
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C. J. HOLLIDAY, Esq. L. FORBES, Esq.
H. HOPKINS, Esq. D. R. SASSOON, Esq.
Hon. J. J. KESWICK.

ACTING CHIEF MANAGER, HONGKONG—F. DE BOVIS, Esq.
MANAGER, SHANGHAI—JOHN WALTER, Esq.
LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.
ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT at the rate of 2 per Cent. per Annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:
For 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum.
For 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum.
For 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business transacted.

DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

F. DE BOVIS, Acting Chief Manager, Hongkong, 6th February, 1891.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

- 1.—THE BUSINESS of the above BANK will be conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on their premises in Hongkong. Business Hours on WEEK-DAYS, 10 to 3; SATURDAYS, 10 to 12.
- 2.—SUMS LESS THAN \$1, OR MORE THAN \$50 at one time will not be received. No Depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—DEPOSITORS in the SAVINGS BANK, having \$100, or more, at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on fixed deposit for 12 months at 4 per Cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—INTEREST at the rate of 3 1/2 per Cent. annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—EACH DEPOSITOR will be supplied gratis with a PASS-BOOK, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their PASS-BOOKS, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—CORRESPONDENCE as to the Business of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, will be forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—WITHDRAWALS may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his PASS-BOOK, are necessary.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
F. DE BOVIS, Acting Chief Manager, Hongkong, 1st January, 1891.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £5,000,000.
PAID UP CAPITAL £500,000.
RESERVE FUND £1,250,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
Hon. J. J. KESWICK, Chairman.
Hon. C. P. CHATER, Vice-Chairman.
LEE SING, Esq.
S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq.
J. S. MOSES, Esq.
G. E. NOBLE, Esq.
FOON PONG, Esq.
D. R. SASSOON, Esq.

BANKERS.
THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

MONEY advanced on Mortgage, on Land, and Buildings.
Properties purchased and sold.
Estates Managed and all kinds of Agency and Commission business relating to land, etc., conducted.
Full particulars can be obtained at the Company's Offices, No. 5, Queen's Road Central.
A. SHELTON HOPKIN, Secretary.
Victoria Building, Hongkong, 2nd May, 1890.

Intimations.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

CHEMISTS BY APPOINTMENT.
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

(Established A.D. 1841).

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS

ANALYTICAL, FAMILY, DISPENSING, and GENERAL CHEMISTS.

PERFUMERS.

PATENT MEDICINE PROPRIETORS.

SEEDSMEN.

WINE and SPIRIT MERCHANTS, CIGAR IMPORTERS, &c., &c.

Manufacturers of AERATED WATERS By Steam Machinery.

This being THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY of our Firm, and THE JUBILEE YEAR of the Colony, "THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY" having been Established A.D. 1841, we take the opportunity of thanking our friends for their support during the last 50 years, and tender them the assurance of our best services in the future as in the past. We shall continue to import DRUGS, CHEMICALS, and GOODS of every kind of the BEST QUALITY ONLY as heretofore, at prices that will be found to compare favourably with local rates, and in many instances with those ruling at home.

BRANCH ESTABLISHMENTS.
A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

THE SHANGHAI PHARMACY, SHANGHAI, 24, Nankin Road.

BOTICA INGLEZA, MANILA, Escolta, 14.

THE CANTON DISPENSARY, CANTON, Canal Road.

THE DISPENSARY, FOCHOW.

THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW.

THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN.

LONDON OFFICE, 106, Fenchurch Street, E.C.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, 21st January, 1891.

THE FANCY DRESS BALL.
LADY DES VŒUX'S FANCY DRESS BALL, which was to have taken place on Tuesday, the 3rd instant, will be held on TUESDAY, the 10th instant.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1891.

CHINESE NEW YEAR BANK HOLIDAY.
In accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1877, the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on MONDAY next, the 9th inst.

For the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA, JOHN THORBURN, Manager, Hongkong.

For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA, T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, F. DE BOVIS, Acting Chief Manager.

For the NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED, E. W. RUTTER, Manager.

For the COMPTON NATIONAL D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS, L. GLENAT, Acting Agent.

Hongkong, 5th February, 1891.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION, No. 36.

THE CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS will be observed at this Office and the Customs' Stations from the 29th day of the 1st moon to the 6th day of the 1st moon at 10 a.m. (7th to 14th February) and during that period all Shipment, Discharge and Examination of Cargo will be suspended.

J. MCLEAVY BROWN, Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon & District.

Custom House, Kowloon, 28th January, 1891.

NOTICE.
MR. KENNEDY begs to inform the Community of Hongkong that his Omnibuses have commenced to RUN DAILY, leaving the CLOCK TOWER for the RACE-COURSE, at 9.45 a.m.

He has 10 in all, but at present only 3 are ready—when all are ready he intends running them regularly between East and West Points, also to Quarry Bay.
The Omnibuses were built in England by one of the best builders, and are fitted with every comfort.
Hongkong, 5th February, 1891.

Intimations.

W. BREWER

HAS JUST RECEIVED

HAZELL'S CYCLOPAEDIA, 1891.
Whitaker's Almanack, " " " " " "
Bergin's Engineering, new ed. " " " "
Jameson's Fortification, by Major Clarke, R.A.
Gladstones New Book on Scriptures.
New Novel, by author Mr. Barnes of New York, "Miss Nobody of Nowhere."

New Stamp Albums.
Proctor's How to get Strong and keep Strong.
Bradshaw's New Overland Guide to India China and Australia.
The Fashionable Strong Instrument—The Mandoline.
New Albums for Cabinets only.
New Stock of Birthday Cards.

W. BREWER,
UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1891.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

NEW SADDLERY.

BUCKSKIN RACING SADDLES, HACK SADDLES, LADIES' SADDLES, SADDLE CLOTHS, WEIGHT CLOTHS, PONY CLOTHING, JOCKEY WHIPS, DRIVING WHIPS.

PONY HARNESS.

SIRINGLES, GIRTHS, BRIDLES, STIRRUP LEATHERS and WEBS. SADDLER'S GOODS and STABLE REQUISITES of all kinds. RIDING BOOTS, JOCKEY BOOTS, BOOT TOPS. SADDLE PASTE, VARNISH, BOOT TOP LIQUID

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, 29th December, 1890.

CRUICKSHANK & CO., LD.,
FAMILY AND DISPENSING CHEMISTS, AND Commission Agents.

ALWAYS in stock our usual well-known Brands of WINES and SPIRITS, &c. "SPECIALLY BLENDED LIQUEUR WHISKY." PURE PHOTOGRAPHIC CHEMICALS, SCHERING'S CELLOIDIN In a Gelatinous form, is not dangerous and is inexpensive, dissolves quite bright, without any sediment, in Ether, and Alcohol, and gives a much more uniform result than ordinary Gun Cotton.

Our remaining stock of CHRISTMAS SWEETS, CHOCOLATES, SHORT BREAD, &c. we are selling off at reduced prices.
Hongkong, 31st January, 1890.

ROBERT LANG & CO.,
TAILORS, HATTERS, SHIRTMAKERS, AND GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTERS, OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL.

OUR Stock of Seasonable Goods is now complete in all the newest MATERIALS, comprising a large variety of DRESS SUITING from \$30 upwards. TWEEDS for SUITS, ULSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES, CORDS and ELASTICS for RIDING and SHOOTING BREECHES and LEGGINGS. EVENING DRESS SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, GLOVES, SILK, LISLE THREAD and CASHMERE, SOCKS, PATENT LEATHER PUMPS and SHOES, &c., &c.
ROBERT LANG & Co.
Hongkong, 9th January, 1891.

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

WHITAKER'S

ALMANACKS.

HAZELL'S ANNUAL.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED,
QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 7th February, 1891.

W. POWELL & CO.

NEW STOCK OF TERAI MATS. GENTS' SCARFS and TIES, Newest Shapes.

RACE FAVOURS, JACKETS and SCARFS to order.

W. POWELL & CO.

Hongkong, 7th February, 1891.

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co.,
WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS, Hongkong—19, Queen's Road.

BULLOCK, LADE & Co.'s SCOTCH WHISKIES.

VERY OLD HIGHLAND BLEND. RARE OLD BLEND. EXTRA SPECIAL FINEST LIQUEUR.

PIANOS FOR SALE. **A. HAHN,** **PIANOS ON HIRE.**
PIANO-TUNER AND REPAIRER.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, LEATHER GOODS, FANCY STATIONERY, TOYS, &c., &c., &c.
No. 2, PEDDER'S STREET.
Hongkong, 12th January, 1891.

Masonic.

VICTORIA LODGE
HONGKONG, No. 1026.

A N EMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zeland Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th instant, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely.
Hongkong, 6th February, 1891.

Consignees.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM MIDDLESBROUGH, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship "KEEMUN" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon on the 12th inst., or they will not be recognized.
All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 12th inst., at 2 P.M.
No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 12th inst. will be subject to rent.
Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before noon, TO-DAY.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 6th February, 1891.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "HARROW," FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 10th inst. will be subject to rent at the rate of one cent per package per day.
All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 10th inst., or they will not be recognized.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 3rd February, 1891.

Shipping.

DOUGLAS STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW. THE Company's Steamship

"HAITAN," Captain Ashton, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the 8th instant, at DAYLIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, 5th February, 1891.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. THE Steamship

"PEMBROKESHIRE," Captain Brown, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the 8th February, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 3rd January, 1891.

STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY, (Calling at Colombo if sufficient inducement offers).

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"GWALIOR," Captain F. J. Cole, will leave for the above places, on SATURDAY, the 14th February, at Noon.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.
Hongkong, 5th January, 1891.

FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Steamship

"LENNOX," Captain Swinerton, shortly due, will have immediate despatch.

For Freight, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 5th February, 1891.

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3 1/2 L. L. American Ship

"IMPERIAL," Crosby, Master, will leave here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, 3rd January, 1891.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE 3 1/2 L. L. American Ship

"STERLING," Goodwin, Master, will leave here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, 15th January, 1891.

Mails.

U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship "CITY OF PEKING" will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO and YOKOHAMA on SATURDAY, the 14th Feb., at 11 P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.
Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

First-class Fares granted as follows:—
To San Francisco.....\$225.00
To San Francisco and return, } 393.75
available for 6 months..... }
To Liverpool..... 325.00
To London..... 332.00
To other European Ports at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways.

Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 per Cent. from Return Fare. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Ports beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50 A, Queen's Road Central.

C. D. HARMAN, Agent.

Hongkong, 22nd January, 1891.

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG.

PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS; ALSO, LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in RUSSIA.

ON SUNDAY, the 15th day of February, 1891, at 11 A.M., the Company's Steamship "BAYERN," Captain J. Mergell, with MAELS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE & CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 14th February. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewards.

For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents.
Hankow, 19th January, 1891.

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE; VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship "OCEANIC" will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 26th February, at 1 P.M.

Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports.

All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full, and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day previous to sailing.

First-class Fares granted as follows:—
To San Francisco.....\$225.00
To San Francisco and return, } 393.75
available for 6 months..... }
To Liverpool..... 325.00
To London..... 332.00
To other European Ports at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways.

Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 per Cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Ports beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50 A, Queen's Road Central.

C. D. HARMAN, Agent.
Hongkong, 3rd February, 1891.

Intimations.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA,
LIMITED,
DISPENSING CHEMISTS, &c.

PHOTOGRAPHIC GOODS.

CAMERAS.
"THE DAKIN" Strong, Light, Best Work-
manship, with Double Extension
Conical Leather Bellows, Double Swing Back,
Reversing Back, Rising Front, Circular Cut
Front for rapid change of Lenses; folds into a
very small space, Rack and Pinion focussing.
The Three Double Dark Slides have a spring
catch locking the shutter firmly. Double hinged
Focus Screen.

Altogether as good a portable Camera as any
Photographer need want.
The Tripods supplied with the Cameras are
of the most improved type, being portable, rigid,
neat, and of good substantial quality.

ENGLISH LENSES.

(TAYLOR, TAYLOR, AND HOBSON.)
Equal to Ross. 25 per cent. cheaper.
Complete sets, including Camera as above,
English Lens, 3 Double Dark Slides, Folding
Tripod, and Canvas Case.
Half Plate \$65.00
Whole Plate \$85.00

Dry Plates, Bromide Paper, Dishes, Sundries
and Requisites of all kinds.

All at very moderate prices.

(Telephone No. 66.)

No. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
Hongkong, 26th January, 1891.



BY APPOINTMENT.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

(ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)

HONGKONG.

WE invite attention to the following old
branded Brandy, all of which are of ex-
cellent quality and good value for the money.

The same being specially selected by our
London House, and bought direct from the most
noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled
by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the
best goods at moderate prices.

In ordering it is only necessary to state
the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wanted,
and initial letter for quality desired.

Orders through Local Post or by Telegram
receive prompt attention.

PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.)

	Per Case.	Per Bot.
A. Alto Douro, good quality, Green Capsule	\$10	\$1.00
B. Vintage, Superior quality, Red Capsule	12	1.10
C. Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capsule ..	14	1.25
D. Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule	18	1.50

SHERRIES.

A. Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule	6	0.60
B. Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule	7/30	0.75
C. Manzaniella, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule	10	1.00
CC Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule	10	1.00
D. Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old wine, White Seal Capsule	14	1.50
E. Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsule (Old Bottled)	14	1.50

CLARETS.

A. Superior Breakfast Claret, Red Capsule	\$4	\$4.50
B. St. Estephe, Red Capsule ..	4/50	5.00
C. St. Julien, Red Capsule	7/50	7.00
D. La Rose	11	12.00

BRANDY.

A. Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Capsule	\$12	\$1.10
B. Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule	14	1.25
C. Very Old Liqueur Cognac, Red Capsule	18	1.50
D. Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vin- tage, Red Capsule	24	2.00

SCOTCH WHISKY.

A. Thorne's Blend, White Cap- sule	8	0.75
B. Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule with Name and Trade Mark	8	0.75
C. Watson's Abouloir-Glenlivet, Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark	8	0.75
D. Watson's H. K. D. Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule ..	10	1.00
E. Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold Capsule ..	12	1.10

IRISH WHISKY.

A. John Jameson's Old, Green Capsule	8	0.75
B. John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule	10	1.00
C. John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule	12	1.10
D. GINNETT BOURBON WHISKY, finest, Red Capsule, with Name ..	10	1.00

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A. Fine Old Tom, White Capsule ..	4/50	0.40
B. Fine Unwatered, White Capsule	4/50	0.40
C. Fine A. V. H. Gency	5/25	0.50

RUM.

Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule	12	1.00
Good Lowland Island	\$1.50	per Gallon.

LIQUEURS.

Benedictine	Marschano
Curaçao	Herrling's Cherry Cordial
Chartreuse	Dr. Slegert's Angostura

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

SUBSCRIBERS TO "THE HONGKONG
TELEGRAPH" ARE MOST RESPECTFULLY
REMINDED THAT ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS
MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

MARRIAGE.

On the 7th February, 1891, at the Roman
Catholic Cathedral, Hongkong, THOMAS HENRY
ENGLAND, to ROSA LINE D'AGUIAR.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1891.

TELEGRAMS.

THE MANCHESTER SHIP CANAL.
LONDON, February 5th.
The Manchester Canal requires £1,700,000
additional capital.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

MONDAY being the great annual Chinese day of
rejoicing, there will be no issue of the *Hongkong
Telegraph*. We take this opportunity of wishing
all our Chinese readers a happy and prosperous
NEW YEAR.

THE Post and Money Order Offices will be
temporarily closed on Monday, but the night box will
be left open for the posting of correspondence.

THE Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Co.
informs us that the Company's steamer *Canton*
left Singapore for this port at 6 a.m. yesterday.

ADA REHAN, the most fascinating Rosalind of
the generation, was born at Limerick in '61;
where her father, a shipbuilder, emigrated to
America, six years later.

CRISOSTOM has been successfully applied as a
remedy for the potato disease in Scotland.
Every eye of the seed potato is touched with
creosote by means of a small camel's hair brush.

A REGULAR meeting of St. John Lodge, No. 618,
S.C., will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zealand
Street, on Thursday, the 13th instant, at 8.30 for
9 p.m., precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially
invited.

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH.—The Mission
steam-boat *Day Spring* will call alongside
vessels holding code pennant C between 9 and
10.30 a.m. on Sunday to convey men ashore to
the 11 o'clock service, returning about 12.30.

A LADY-WRITER in an Australian weekly says,
in reference to cricket:—"I really think it is not
a fit game for ladies; it is undoubtedly a dan-
gerous one, and, as I remarked before, some of
the positions are hardly ladylike." "Leg," for
instance?

THE late Dion Boucicault always spoke scorn-
fully of London audiences. "A London audience,"
he said on one occasion, "defies description.
Londoners don't know what they want. They
scream a good deal and require a queer
one. Quercus instead of merit is their maxim.
They're capricious and unreliable." Rot.

THE owl, owing to its peculiar eyes, is nearly
blind in daylight, and exhibits in such circum-
stances a sort of tipsy gravity. "Blind" is
obviously a corruption of "wild," and the proverb
doubtless originally read "drunk as a wild owl."
This is the explanation given by Professor
Huxley and supported by all our leading
drunkards.

THE following gentlemen will represent the
"Citizens" in the Football match (Association)
to be played at Happy Valley on Monday next,
commencing at 5 p.m., against the Officers of
the Army and Navy:—W. H. Wallace (Capt.),
A. H. Ough, A. M. Marshall, H. C. Marshall,
W. V. Anderson, H. W. Slade, L. Hallward, Dr.
J. M. Atkinson, P. Groom, J. Armstrong, and E.
Ezekiel.

WE would call the attention of our readers to
the benefit to be tendered to Mr. Frank Fletcher,
late of the Stanley Opera Company, an
advertisement of which will be found in another
column. The entertainment takes place at the
City Hall on Thursday next, and with the
assistance of the gentlemen amateurs the
"Military Mimmers," it should prove a great
success.

DOCTOR.—So you're all run down? Feel generally
debilitated; can't sleep, have no appetite; fever
flushes, headache and indigestion? I see. What
is it case for, then? Doctor.—For rest.
Patient.—But I've just been resting. Doctor.—
You needn't tell me that. Two weeks' active
employment will rest you and make you all right.
Nothing like getting back to work after a
laborious rest.

HERE is a list of occupations to which a Paris
correspondent has traced representatives of
French families that had little to do but de-
portment in the days of the Empire: "Gamekeeper,
carpenter's apprentice, house painter, cab-driver,
miller's assistant, lunkkeeper, conductor on an
omnibus, box-opener at a theatre, gas man, bath-
ing man, maker of mouse traps, chorus singer at
the opera, and woodman." They may not be as
happy in these callings, but some of them at least,
are of a great deal more use to the world.

FOR the first time in the memory of "the oldest
resident" no magistrate will sit on the Bench at
our model Police on Monday. For that day,
being Chinese New Year's Day, no cases will be
tried at the Magistracy. As a rule Monday is a
busy day at the Court of the First Instance
owing to the fact that the day prior thereto,
Sunday, the Court does not sit. How much
more, then, will Tuesday, the 10th February be
a field-day for the hall, the married, the lame
and the blind up Arbuthnot Road way! It will
be a case of both Courts in full swing, and a
close race between the two "Beaks" as to which
will get through first. The baiting is a la r'en
the junior, who is expected to break the record.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Nizam* left
Bombay on the 4th inst. at 9 p.m. for this port.

"THE GONDOLIER" will be on the war-path at
the Theatre Royal, City Hall, this evening. The
signal gun will be fired at 9 p.m. Governor des
Vaux has expressed his intention of being
present, and we are authorized to state that
Maitland House dress, or kilt of the *China
Mail* tartan (providing they are long enough),
will be permitted, whether the wearers have
been presented at home or not. So mote it be.

THERE is universal joy amongst the gilded
youth of Hongkong to-day. Next Tuesday night
the Governor and Lady des Vaux's fancy
dress Jubilee Ball will be an *fait accompli*.
Court dress, Maitland House suits and
fancings, and the classical attire of the humble
but industrious chair-coolies will all be *en regle*.
The last named scanty but tasty habiliments
will be more in keeping for our local nobility
than—the other things. *Hyah!*

THE Peak Hotel Co.'s Report and Statement of
Accounts for 1890, published in another column,
are satisfactory in one sense and very unsatis-
factory in another. "Craigleburn" has been
the "white elephant," but reading between the
lines it appears to us that there has been a big
screw loose elsewhere. So far as hotel business,
pure and simple, is concerned, results are fairly
encouraging, and we venture to predict that the
Peak Hotel, under the able management of Mr.
Thomas, a deservedly popular *maitre d'hôtel*, has
a prosperous career before it in the near future.
But careful management and a thorough
appreciation of the altered circumstances of the
colony are absolutely necessary to ensure success.
That antique yarn of the old Irish woman who
was continually deploring the loss she sustained
by selling her oranges below cost price but
thanked God she made up for it by doing a large
business, converts a valuable moral which the
Directors of the Peak Hotel Company ought not
to lose sight of.

WE would direct the special attention of
Governor des Vaux to the particulars of a
kidnapping case, heard at the Magistracy this
morning and reported elsewhere in this issue.
The charge against the two Chinese women is
still *sub judice* and consequently we are
bound to refrain from comment or criticism, but
we are nevertheless justified in calling his Ex-
cellency's attention to a subject that is likely to
prove a *cause célèbre*. And the Governor may not
deem it out of place, considering that he was
absent from the Colony when the notorious Con-
spiracy case was tried, if we respectfully suggest
that he should at once apply to the Supreme Court
for a certified copy of the Chief Justice's notes
in that "famous" case, and that he should, in
public justice, and carefully peruse the evidence given
by Minihinnett, the private prosecutor. There
is something in that evidence which the Officer
Administering the Government, the Attorney
General, the Crown Prosecutor, or whoever may
be responsible, failed to discover—perhaps they
didn't want to?—otherwise the colony would have
had another kidnapping prosecution of thrilling
interest long ere now. But in any case, Sir
William des Vaux will have full particulars
within the next few days, and our only desire
in mentioning the matter now is that his Ex-
cellency may not be taken by surprise when our
batteries are fairly unmarked.

It would appear that the members (or some of
them) of the Ceylon Civil Service are noted for
the same cast-iron cheek, self-sufficient arro-
gance, and utter recklessness in dealing with
the natives of that island, which are such com-
mon specialties with so many of our imita-
tion high-toned local officials. But it also would
appear that the high executive authorities in
Ceylon are not quite so complacent to the
authors of disgraceful outrages on public policy
and the spirit of British justice as has too
frequently been the case in Hongkong. We
read in a recent Ceylon paper that the warrant
granted to Mr. W. H. Moor as an additional
police magistrate for Colombo has been can-
celled, owing to his having exceeded his powers
in ordering witnesses in a case to be marched
through the streets and publicly humiliated. We
have seen worse exhibitions than that
ordered from the Bench at the Hongkong Magis-
tracy, and nothing has been said about them.
It would be interesting to know from a *philistine*
of the community what reward public opinion
would recommend for the magistrate who sent
an old blind woman to prison with hard labour
for begging in the streets, or who considered it
an act of justice to punish a half-starved boy, who
was convicted of "stealing" a brass ear-ring
worth a few cents, by imprisonment with hard
labour for nine months, in addition to *forty
strokes with a rattan*? Perhaps Governor des
Vaux will assist us in solving the problem!

A COARSE-GRAINED, heavily-built and vicious-
looking ruffian named Chai Ayaw, alias Fuk Pal,
was arrested in a gambling den in Square
Street, on the morning of the 4th inst., and
by Detective Inspector Stanton and Sergeant
Maciver, by virtue of a warrant issued
at the instance of the Chinese authorities,
who allege that Fuk Pal is a big game leader who
for years past has successfully eluded capture,
and the justice he so richly merits on account of
various burglaries and acts of kidnapping, murder
and pillage in the province of Kwangtung. The
last act of this desperado was the burning of
some houses in the district of Shunat, near
Canton, which resulted in the death of several
children who were asleep at the time the act of
incendiarism was committed. The sole reason
this ruffian had for burning the houses was the
refusal of the occupants to pay him \$500 black-
mail. As luck had it, the detectives found on
the prisoner's person the very seal under which
the letter demanding the blackmail was issued.
This seal will, of course, form an important link
in the chain of evidence against the ruffian who is
now the remand case at Victoria Court, whether
he was forwarded after an interview with Mr.
Wise at the Police Court this morning. The
case will come on for hearing, *in absentia*, this
day week, when important witnesses for the
prosecution will be down from Canton to give
evidence. In view of the valuable aid which the
Chinese are vouchsafing to the local Police in the
matter of the capture of the *Namoa* pirates, it
is not right that their courtesy should be
reciprocated by the local authorities, more
especially as, irrespective of considerations of
desirable policy, this colony is well rid of
residents of the professional brigand type who
have too long found this island a comfortable
and convenient refuge from justice. Our reporter
doubtless means well, and believes all he sets
out in the foregoing circumstantial report, but it
is just as well to point out that this view of the
alleged outrages on Chinese territory is that of
the police officers and not that of the person
arrested. Chai Ayaw may be a villain-looking
ruffian as described, perhaps he richly deserves
all the dire punishments Chinese authority is
so fond of inflicting on alleged criminals
whose rendition is applied for in this colony,
but he is to be assumed innocent until he has
been found guilty, and we have penned this
explanatory note as we consider our reporter's
remarks both unfair and misleading.—Ed., H.K.
Telegraph.

At the Theatre Francaise, Paris, all the laundry-
ing of the troupe is paid for by the management,
for stage clothes, even to the petticoats, and so
on, worn by the ladies. The management also
pays for the purchase of everyone's stage-
clothes, and supplies the private wardrobe of
actors who have only £12 a month and under.

THE "real Mackay" is still a great power in
the land of the mountain and the flood. A
correspondent of the *New Rotterdam Courant*
writes from London on December 23rd:—"Some
days ago I let you know that 1,500 or 1,600
Mackays would hold a truly monstrous assemblage
at Glasgow, under the presidency of Lord
Reay. This, the greatest clan gathering of the
century, has since taken place with Lord Reay
at its head. Lord Reay made a
speech full of pleasant allusions to the clan,
and read a letter from a Mackay of high position
who has attained to the premiership of the
Netherlands. The Dutch Premier excused him-
self through Lord Reay. As a Mackay he
wished to be present at the Mackay festival, for
his heart remained with the clan notwithstanding
his Dutch nationality. He wished it every success.
Lord Reay bore out these sentiments, by saying,
amidst cheers, "that the Netherlands branches
of the clan took as great interest in the Mackays
as any British offshoot."

SUPREME COURT.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

(Before Mr. Fielding Clarke, Puisne Judge.)

February 7th.

HO KWAI V. TIEFFENBERG.—A JEW TAKEN IN
BY MARIA.

This was a claim for \$10 alleged to be due to
plaintiff on account of making up some dress
materials to the order of the defendant.

The plaintiff said he was a partner of
the Chen Lai shop in Lyndhurst Terrace.
The defendant came to his shop with some
cloth and asked him to make up into two dresses
for a lady. The defendant brought the mea-
surements with him and having signed his name
on the back of the plaintiff's trade card, the
dresses were made. He charged \$3 for work,
and \$3 for the lining; the rest of the sum was
due for whalebone, lace, and chest preservers
used in the making. Two dresses were made,
the defendant refusing to accept delivery of the
second.

The defendant said the dresses were
ordered for a lady, named Maria, living in
Cochrane Street. He went to the defendant's
shop but did not take any material or measure-
ments for a dress. He went to the shop simply
to tell the defendant to call at the lady's house,
which he did and the gave him 14 yards
of cloth to make the dresses. He (defendant)
went twice to the shop for the lady. He
admitted writing his name on the defendant's
card. He acted for the lady because she
could not speak English. He had no witnesses.

His lordship said he believed the plaintiff's
story that the defendant did go the plaintiff's
shop and take both the materials and the
measurements, and he was also satisfied that
the defendant had taken charge of the goods
delivered. He would give a verdict for plaintiff
for the full amount claimed and costs.

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON
WHARF AND GODOWN CO., LD.

The fourth ordinary annual meeting of
shareholders in the above named company was
held in the Chamber of Commerce Room, City
Hall, at noon to-day for the purpose of receiving
the report of the Directors and a statement of
accounts up to the 31st December, 1890. There
were present:—Messrs. J. J. Kewick (Chair-
man); E. L. Woodin, D. R. Sassoon, W. H. Forbes,
D. E. Sassoon, C. P. Chater, and H. Hopplis
(Directors); L. Poenscoper, J. F. C. de Rosa, F.
Dodwell, H. Wickham, T. I. Rose, F. Henderson,
D. MacCulloch, G. S. Coxon, and E. Osborne
(Secretaries).

The Chairman—Gentlemen, the report and
accounts, which have been in your hands for
some time, may I trust, have enabled you fully
to understand the present position of the Wharf
Company, and there is not very much for me to
say in respect to the figures before you. The
first point to note is the improvement in the
earning power of the company from its legitimate
wharfing business, and the economical cost of
working which has been found practicable.
Exclusive of interest, commission, and other
extraneous sources of revenue, the following
figures show the profits derived from wharfage,
storage, loading and shipping, alone, since the
year we commenced its work, and for purposes
of comparison will no doubt be considered inter-
esting:—

1887	Nett earnings	\$54,138.04
1888	"	57,182.53
1889	"	33,824.11
1890	"	78,585.19

—which figures, you will observe, show that a
great development has taken place during the
year just closed. Storage alone increased to the
extent of about \$100,000—and it would in all
probability, have been greater, but for the strike
in Australia and other minor causes. On the 1st
of July one half of the West Point property was re-
acquired, and we are in consequence liable
for lease rent to the amount of about \$10,000.
There is a pleasing absence from the accounts
before you, you will be glad to notice, of those
extraordinary items for claims on account of
short-deliveries, damages, &c., which in the
previous year amounted to nearly \$12,000—and
I think we have reason to expect that there will
be no recurrence of these. The premises and
property of the Company generally are all in
thoroughly efficient working order, including
launches, lighters &c. In looking down the
items of capital account, you will observe
that there are sums charged for new buildings,
additions, alterations, &c., upon the steam
launches; these are items of expenditure which
might be regarded as adding to their permanent
value and so have been placed to first cost
account, but the Directors, since the accounts
were issued, have come to the decision that in
future accounts this is not to be done, and
a re-adjudgment will be made. The
launches, I may mention, all stand in the books
well within their value. The reclamation at
West Point has been rather delayed by various
occurrences, but is now progressing satisfactorily,
and will be completed, we anticipate, in the
course of the year. You will remember that a
Committee of Investigation was appointed by
the shareholders in August last, and they
went very thoroughly into the working of
the Company's business, and the respective
reports of the members of the committee
recorded the due attention of the Board. These
reports are the disposal of shareholders on
application to the Secretary. There does not
occur to me anything which I can usefully add
to these remarks, but I hope shareholders will
be satisfied with the improvement in the Com-
pany's earnings. Before proposing the adoption
of the report and accounts, I will be pleased to
furnish any information I can to any share-
holders who may wish to ask me any questions.

Mr. Wickham said, that in view of the dis-
covery by the Committee of Investigation of
very grave deficiencies in the accounts of the com-
pany, for which the late book-keeper, Mr. Agnew,
was proved responsible, it was regrettable that the
directors had not yet offered any explanation to
the shareholders. It was distinctly shown that a
sum of \$1,400 was not accounted for, and that
should have been explained to the shareholders.
He thought he might as well quote from his
report of investigations, viz:—"Defalcations of the late book-keeper, Mr.
Agnew.—I wished to put certain questions to
the Chairman of Committee relative to this en-
quiry. Under these circumstances, I think
in the interest of the shareholders that the
present Chairman would do well to enquire
why these defalcations were not disclosed to
the shareholders at the yearly meeting following." He
believed the deficiency had been made good, but
the shareholders had no means of knowing
unless the Directors offered lucid explanations.
He, as a shareholder, would be glad to know
the reason of the course pursued by the
Directorate.

The Chairman—in reply to Mr. Wickham, of
course must make some explanation. I think
the reasons will be considered very satisfactory. At
Mr. Wickham says, \$1,400 was found out of order.
Our late book-keeper, Mr. Agnew, overdraw his
account to the extent of \$1,400, and rather than
let the company lose that sum the Chairman
made up the deficiency.

Mr. Wickham.—The Committee of Investigation
found several important documents and books of
the Company in a most disgraceful state. With
the present Secretary, the accounts were the
leading "coolie hire" had been greatly
reduced. Why could that not have been
done before? He had no hesitation in saying
that the Company's affairs were in a most
scandalous state when the new Secretary
accepted office. The accounts were certainly
in a most disgraceful state at that time. Things
certainly appeared to be going on better at
present, and he hoped the change for the better
would continue. There was a substantial profit,
and an item of about \$20,000 as to Directors
and auditors! Why this profit and this reduction
of expenses of some \$30,000 had not long
ago been shown in the accounts of this company
was a matter for the Directors to explain to
shareholders who, in common with himself, had
been heavy losers. Instead of everything
going on regularly, things had drifted from
bad to worse and had become absolutely
scandalous.

The Chairman—I should like to reply briefly
to Mr. Wickham. I think it regrettable that he
has seen fit to use such a term as scandalous in
connection with the affairs of this Company, for I
cannot think that there is anything really
wrong, and I do not consider that word,
"scandalous," in any way applicable to the
matter. With reference to the Committee,
as it was deemed undesirable to continue
the sub-committee, that has been dropped and
the whole Committee now directs the affairs of
the Company.

Mr. Wickham.—In making use of the word
scandalous I meant that there was deliberate
mismanagement. If you present Secretary was
able to economise, as he undoubtedly has done
in the space of one year, how was it that such
was not done before? I attribute the losses of
myself and others to undoubted mismanagement.
During the foregoing remarks the Chair-
man warned Mr. Wickham that if he con-
tinued to persist in the use of the adjective
scandalous he would be obliged to exercise
the discretion vested in the occupant of
the Chair for the time being. This had no effect
on Mr. Wickham, who, as far as could be gathered,
said all he thought justifiable in the circum-
stances.

The Chairman then proposed the adoption
of the report and accounts. Mr. H. N. Mody
seconded and it was carried unanimously.

Messrs. H. Hopplis and D. R. Sassoon were
re-elected Directors upon the motion of Mr. M.
Grote, seconded by Mr. T. I. Rose.

Mr. de Rosa proposed and Mr. M. Grote
seconded that Messrs. F. Henderson and T. I.
Rose be re-elected auditors for the current year.
Carried *unanimously*.

Mr. Grote proposed a vote of thanks to the
Chairman and Board of Directors which was
carried by acclamation, and duly acknowledged
by Mr. Kewick in behalf of himself and his
colleagues on the Board.

With the announcement that dividend war-
rants would be issued forthwith the proceedings
terminated.

A. G. GORDON AND COMPANY,
LIMITED.

The second ordinary meeting of the above
Company was held at the Hongkong Hotel to-day.
There were present:—Messrs. A. G. Gordon
(Chairman), W. Parlane, R. G. Shewan, A.
Duer, W. Judd, W. S. Taylor, W. H. Potts,
and J. V. P. de Jesus (Secretary).

The Secretary read the notice convening the
meeting.

The Chairman—Gentlemen, the report and
accounts have already been in your possession for
some days and with your permission we will take
them as read. The only point that requires
reference from me is that of future capital. We
want more funds, and unless we call in the balance
of calls and make further shares for the outside
public we must break up. The result of the
year's work has been better than the last, and

To be Let.

A ROOM TO LET,
FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.

A LADY AND GENTLEMAN living in one of the pleasantest parts of Hongkong have a vacant room in their house which they would like to let. Suitable for a bachelor or single lady.

Apply to

"W."
c/o Hongkong Telegraph Office.
Hongkong, 27th December, 1890. [56]

TO LET.

N^O. 4, WEST TERRACE.
Entry, 1st March.
Apply to
G. C. ANDERSON,
13, Praya Central.
Hongkong, 4th February, 1891. [133]

TO BE LET.

N^O. 10, SEYMOUR TERRACE.
Apply to
H. C. SCOTT,
Hongkong, 3rd February, 1891. [127]

TO LET.

With Immediate Possession.
THE MARINE HOTEL.
SITUATE on the Praya, opposite to the old P. & O. Wharf, comprising 12 Bed-rooms, Dining-room, Billiard-room, &c.
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LD.
Hongkong, 16th December, 1890. [5]

TO LET.

N^OS. 9 & 11, SEYMOUR TERRACE.
ROOMS in College Chambers
No. 4, OLD BAILEY STREET.
OFFICES and CHAMBERS in Coanagh House, Queen's Road Central.
OFFICES in Victoria Buildings.
No. 3, GOUGH HILL, The Peak, Furnished.
Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Hongkong, 2nd February, 1891. [119]

KOWLOON.

TO LET,
Possession from 1st February.
THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING CO.'S ESTATE.HEALTHY situated 5 ROOMED-
HOUSES with Bath-rooms complete, splendid view. Moderate Rent. Gas laid on.
Apply to
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LD.
Hongkong, 3rd January, 1891. [186]

TO LET.

BLUE BUILDINGS.—Ground Floor of No. 2.
First Floor of No. 3.
Second Floor of No. 3.
(Possession 1st March).MAGAZINE GAP.—Two Semi-detached Houses. Rent \$45 each.
Apply to
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LD.
Hongkong, 31st January, 1891. [145]

TO LET.

N^O. 27, ELGIN STREET, behind the Old Union Church.
Apply to
ACHEE & Co.,
Hongkong, 9th January, 1891. [140]

TO BE LET.

A FIVE ROOMED HOUSE No. 3, "Wild Dell Buildings," Wanchai Road (opposite Bakery).
No. 1 (corner house facing East) and No. 6 (corner house facing West).
RICHMOND TERRACE.—The former with Conservatory and Tennis Lawn. Each House contains six good rooms and is pleasantly situated.

HENRY HUMPHREYS.

TO BE LET OR SOLD,
On favourable terms, with immediate Possession.EIGHT HOUSES at "Mountain View," Peak District, near Flunkett's Gap.
If sold, part of the Purchase money can remain on Mortgage.
Apply to
JOHN A. JUPP,
38 & 40, Queen's Road Central,
Hongkong, 30th December, 1890. [36]

TO BE LET, AT THE PEAK.

ON reasonable terms, "CRAGIEBURN," containing Dining, Drawing, Reception Rooms, Offices and 20 Bed-rooms, with two Tennis-courts.
Apply to the
SECRETARY,
Peak Hotel & Trading Co.,
Hongkong, 11th December, 1890. [148]

TO LET.

GODOWNS.—BLUE BUILDINGS.
Apply to
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LD.
Hongkong, 24th December, 1890. [155]

TO LET.

With Immediate Possession.
No. 17, PRAYA CENTRAL.OFFICES—above Messrs. Douglas, Laprak & Co.'s Premises.
Apply to
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LD.
Hongkong, 16th December, 1890. [149]

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TWENTY-SECOND ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 12, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, on FRIDAY, the 27th February next, at Half-past Two o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1890.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 27th inst., both days inclusive.
By Order,
JAS. B. COUGHTRE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 2nd February, 1891. [159]

Insurances.

THREE IMPORTANT FACTS ABOUT THE
STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

- 1.—HALF A MILLION STERLING per annum is being paid in Death claims year by year.
- 2.—THE FUNDS IN HAND amount to upwards of Seven Million pounds Sterling and have increased 50 per cent. in the last 15 years.
- 3.—THE LIVES who die are annually replaced by more than double the number of new carefully selected lives.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong.

THE Underigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and LIFE at Current Rates.

REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co.,
Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. [66]

THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 14th November, 1890. [156]

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000.
The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.WOO LIN YUEN,
Secretary.
HEAD OFFICE,
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.
Hongkong, 1st February, 1891. [216]GENERAL NOTICE.
THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000 } \$333,333.33
EQUAL TO }
RESERVE FUND } \$318,000.00BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
LEE SENG, Esq. | LO YUEN MOON, Esq.
LOU TAO SHUN, Esq. |MANAGER.—HO AMEL.
MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.
Hongkong, 17th December, 1890. [145]

Hotels.

THE SHAMEN HOTEL
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Wines, Spirits, Malt Liqueurs, etc., of the best quality only.A. F. DO ROZARIO,
Manager.
Hongkong, 4th November, 1890. [1047]

THE HOTEL MARINA.

THIS strictly FIRST CLASS HOTEL, now moored in the Harbour of Victoria, offers guests exceptional advantages for Healthfulness and Refreshing breezes; the avoidance of street noises, and unwholesome odours, &c.
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The Table D'Hôte is unexcelled.
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Hongkong, 13th August, 1890. [1173]

THE BOA VISTA.
BISHOP'S BAY, MACAO.THIS House, situated on the sea shore in one of the best and healthiest parts of Macao, and commanding an admirable view facing the South, was OPENED as a HOTEL on the 1st July.
Every comfort will be provided for visitors, with excellent cuisine and choice Wines.
Hot, Cold, Shower and Sea Water Baths.
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WALTER W. BREWER,
Sole Agent.
For Hongkong and the Southern ports.
Hongkong, 19th November, 1890. [144]

Intimations.

Notice to Consumers

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Sole Agent for China and Japan.
Hongkong, 28th August, 1890. [143]NOTICE.
JYVE'S SANITARY COMPOUNDS COMPANY, LIMITED.

JYVE'S WOOD PRESERVER OR ANTISEPTIC PAINT.

THE Underigned have this day been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the sale of these PERFECT DISINFECTANTS, and are prepared to supply quantities to suit purchasers, at Wholesale Prices. Extra Special terms for Shipping and large Orders.
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"It is the best Disinfectant in use."
W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.,
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Hongkong, 10th June, 1891. [151]

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Supplies constantly on hand at the China Export, Import, and Bank Co.—Sole Agents for China. Beware of spurious imitations!
Hongkong, 20th May, 1890. [142]NOTICE.
THOMAS KERR & CO.ENGINEERS, BOILER-MAKERS AND CONTRACTORS.
YAU-MA-TI ENGINEERING WORKS, KOWLOON.OFFICE—No. 12, D'AGUIER STREET.
Hongkong, 24th August, 1890. [150]GAIN
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A Day.

A GAIN OF A POUND A DAY IN THE CASE OF A MAN WHO HAS BECOME "ALL RUN DOWN," AND HAS BEGUN TO TAKE THAT REMARKABLE FLESH PRODUCER,

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IS NOTHING UNUSUAL. THIS FEAT HAS BEEN PERFORMED OVER AND OVER AGAIN. PALATABLE AS MILK. ENDORSED BY PHYSICIANS. THREE TIMES AS EFFICACIOUS AS PLAIN OIL. AVOID SUBSTITUTIONS AND IMITATIONS.
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Hongkong, 20th December, 1890.

THE HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE undersigned is prepared to purchase FRACTIONAL CERTIFICATES at current market rates. Persons holding same are requested to apply at the Company's Office No. 4, Praya Central.

EDWARD OSBORNE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 2nd December, 1890. [146]

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE.

AT an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB, held on TUESDAY, the 27th January, 1891, at the City Hall, the following Special Resolution was submitted to the Members of the Hongkong Jockey Club and duly passed:—
"If the Stewards or any ten Members (with the concurrence of the Stewards), who shall certify the same in writing, shall be of opinion that the conduct of any member, either within or outside of the Club premises, and either in matters connected with racing or otherwise, has been injurious to the character, interests, welfare, good order, or credit of the Club, the Stewards shall request such member to resign, and if the member so requested shall not resign within one month after such request, the Stewards shall convene, or call, Extraordinary General Meetings of the Club for the purpose of expelling the said member. Such Extraordinary General Meetings shall be convened, called and held, and the resolutions thereof shall be passed, confirmed, and circulated, in the manner prescribed by rules 31 and 32 of the Club."

An EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB to confirm the above Special Resolution will be held on TUESDAY, the 10th day of February, 1891, at 4.30 p.m., at the City Hall.

By Order of the Stewards of the Hongkong Jockey Club,
E. H. GORE-BOOTH,
Clerk of the Course. [200]

NOTICE.

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this HARBOUR some of the COMPANY'S FOREMEN should be at hand, ORDERS FOR REPAIRS, if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Underigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 24th August, 1890. [151]

Intimations.

THE CHINA AND JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

LIST of Subscribers to the HONGKONG TELEPHONE EXCHANGE.

- 1.—Arnold, Karberg & Co.
- 2.—Alice Memorial Hospital.
- 3.—Adamson, Bell & Co.
- 4.—Butterfield and Swire.
- 5.—Brodie, Wm., Residence.
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- 7.—Bellios, E. R., Kingsclere.
- 8.—Bellios, E. R., The Eyrle.
- 9.—Herrigan, Dr. Wm., Queen's Road.
- 10.—Candle, Dr. J., Queen's Road.
- 11.—Candle, Dr. J., Victoria Peak.
- 12.—C. & J., Telephone Co., Ltd.
- 13.—Chater and Vernon.
- 14.—Central Police Station.
- 15.—"China Mail."
- 16.—C. Borneo Co., Ltd., S. S. M., Bowington.
- 17.—Carlowitz & Co.
- 18.—Cowie, Dr. Alex.
- 19.—"Daily Press."
- 20.—Douglas Laprak & Co.
- 21.—Dakin Bros. of China, Ltd.
- 22.—E. E. A. and China Telegraph Co., Ltd.
- 23.—E. E. A. N. J., Residence.
- 24.—Eckel & Joseph.
- 25.—Foster, F. T. P., Residence.
- 26.—Great Northern Telegraph Co.
- 27.—Gibb, Livingston & Co.
- 28.—Government House.
- 29.—Gordon & Co., A. G., Praya Central.
- 30.—Do.
- 31.—Government Civil Hospital.
- 32.—Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.
- 33.—H. & W. Dock, Aberdeen.
- 34.—Holliday, J. F., Victoria Peak.
- 35.—The Hongkong Hotel, Public Telephone.
- 36.—Hancock, W. St. John H., C.E.
- 37.—Hughes & Eara.
- 38.—Holmes & Rodyk.
- 39.—Hughes, E. J., Residence.
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Hongkong, 10th July, 1890. [1850]

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Hongkong, 6th April, 1890. [152]

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Sold in casks of about 450 lbs. net, Price 8 cents per lb.
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SCHEELE & Co.,
Sole Agents,
No. 16, Stanley Street.
Hongkong, and December, 1890. [144]

NOTICE.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SANDAKAN.

IN ITS PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Will and Estate of CHARLES WALTER FLINT, of Sandakan, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any claims against the Estate of CHARLES WALTER FLINT, deceased, late of Sandakan, Merchant, Probate of whose Will has been granted by the High Court of Sandakan, to H. B. DUNLOP of Sandakan, Executor appointed by the Will of the said deceased, are hereby required to send in particulars of such claims to the said underigned, on or before the Thirty-first day of October, 1891. And Notice is hereby given that after such date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.

Dated this First day of November, 1890.
P. F. J. MARCUS,
Registrar.Receiver for the said Executor.
High Court,
Sandakan.G. FALCONER & CO.,
WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS AND JEWELLERS,
NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS,
CHARTS AND BOOKS.Sole Agents in Japan, China, Korea, Hongkong & Macao.
No. 10, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
Hongkong, 30th February, 1890. [1198]

Intimations.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

INFORMATION has been received from the Military Authorities that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place from the Batteries at Stone Cutters Island, from the 27th instant to 20th February next, both days inclusive, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. daily. The line of fire will be in a South-Westerly direction from the Batteries.
All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are cautioned to keep clear of the range.
By Command,
F. FLEMING,
Colonial Secretary.Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hongkong, 24th January, 1891. [190]

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Tenth Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Peddar's Street, on SATURDAY, the 14th February, at Noon, to receive a Statement of the Accounts of the Company to the 31st December, 1890, and the Report of the General Managers, and to discuss any matters that may be competently brought before the meeting.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 4th to the 14th February, both days inclusive.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 26th January, 1891. [184]

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the City Hall, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 28th day of February next, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1890.
By Order of the Court of Directors,
F. DE BOVIS,
Acting Chief Manager.
Hongkong, 5th February, 1891. [1238]

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from Saturday, the 14th to Saturday, the 28th day of February current (both days inclusive) during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.
By Order of the Court of Directors,
F. DE BOVIS,
Acting Chief Manager.
Hongkong, 5th February, 1891. [1239]

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Office of the Company No. 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 23rd February, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1890.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 23rd inst., both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
D. GILLIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 2nd February, 1891. [1224]

THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Second Ordinary Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, on SATURDAY, the 14th February, 1891, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors with a Statement of Accounts, to December 31st, 1890.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to 14th February, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
J. WHEELEY,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 30th January, 1891. [1210]